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Director of Central Intelligence
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Sir:

At the direction of the Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence, Department of the Army, the Chief, Army Security Agency, is engaged in an over-all evaluation of the threat to the Army and the other military services effected by the discovery of electronic listening devices at sensitive military installations. To discharge this responsibility, it is necessary to contact other branches of the government in order to determine the extent to which they are engaged in activities in detection of clandestine listening devices and the experience gained therefrom. It is therefore requested that selected individuals from this Headquarters contact appropriate personnel of your organization at your earliest convenience in order to discuss this subject in the areas specified below:

- a. Evaluation of the threat to national security.
- b. Corrective countermeasures currently employed and required.
- c. Cost in man power and money to implement necessary corrective measures.

If the request is favorably considered, the following personnel will represent this headquarters. All are cleared for access to TOP SECRET, cryptologic information.

Lt. Col. Joseph J. Delaney
Maj. Harvill H. Patterson
Mr. Nathan Disenhaus

Army review(s)
completed.

Sincerely yours,

HARRY REICHLERER
Major General, USA
Chief, Army Security Agency

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from Army Security Agency by ltr dtd 21 May (EE 8-2977)

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TO	NAME AND ADDRESS	INITIALS	DATE
1	Mr. [redacted]	JML	21/mar/56
2	Assistant to the Director 203 Administration Building		
3	DDC/L	CPL	11 march
4	DCI	DC	
5	G.R. set 4/24/56 for		
6		Det	
ACTION	DIRECT REPLY	PREPARE REPLY	
APPROVAL	DISPATCH	RECOMMENDATION	
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CONCURRENCE	XX INFORMATION	SIGNATURE	

Remarks:

The attached memo is forwarded to you for information and possible interest to the Director. The original has been sent to the Director of Security for action.

NOTE FOR RECORD:

Reply sigd by Gen Cabell,
27 apr 56 - see ER 8.1855/A.

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Chief, Liaison Division, OCR	22 Mar 56
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